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## COMPARE OUR PRICES !

And our goods with those of our competitors and you will easily see that it is to your advantage to trade with us. We have one price for everybody and your wants and wishes are carefully considered.

### Our Great Fall and Winter Stock of Goods is Here.

Come Around and let us Show you What we Have.

### OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST.

#### Clothing !

Our Clothing Department is now open for your inspection and comparison.

Our stock was selected with great care and will please you in Quality, Style and Prices.

You are sure of getting what you want by trading with us.



#### Shoes are Winners

The W. L. Douglas Shoes have a Walk Over all other shoes. They look well, fit well and wear well.

"THE FAD" for Ladies. The best \$3.00 shoe on the market.

"THE RADCLIFF" Shoe for \$2.50. The best shoe made for the price.

#### Dress Goods

Our Dress Goods Department is complete, thoroughly fashionable, extensive and everything is fresh and new.

NOVELTIES—We have them in an endless variety. All the little articles of wearing apparel in accordance with the latest fashions.

### SHIRTS AND NECKWEAR--We have the Most Fashionable Styles, made by the best makers.

MR. J. FRANK DODGE is now employed as Salesman in our Store.

## TAYLOR & CANNAN.

### OUR DISTRICT AT THE STATE FAIR !

Fine Exhibit to be Made at Owensboro—Something About the Metal Radium—Comparison of Wage Scales.

#### INCREASE OF ZINC ORES IN 1904.

It is expected that this district will be strongly represented at the state fair at Owensboro the latter part of the month. The State Board of Agriculture has made a special request that samples of all of our ores, clays, etc., etc., be placed on exhibition during the fair. Mining men desiring any specialties exhibited in the shape of minerals can make arrangements to do so by calling at the Reed Mining company's office at Marion within the next ten days.

Radium makes amends for its scarcity by its remarkable properties. A little of it goes a long way. It is so highly luminous that print can be read by its light. Curiously enough, it possesses the power of imparting its own luminosity to other bodies, which in their normal state are quite inactive. A mere fraction of a grain in solution poured from one vessel to another imparts to each considerable activity, which persists for some time, even after both vessels are washed in the usual way. The property is similar to that of a grain of musk, which imparts its odor to every article of clothing in a wardrobe, although there has been no material contact. So powerful is the photographic action of radium that it is capable of penetrating black paper and other

opaque objects as readily as sunlight passes through clear glass. Its chemical action is no less energetic and remarkable. Oxygen is transformed into ozone, yellow phosphorus is converted into red phosphorus.

So great has been the demand for space in the Mines and Metal Building at the St. Louis exposition, for exhibition space that changes have been made in the plans which will give 12,000 square feet of additional space. The new arrangement provides for the utilization of the beautiful loggia, which extends around its four sides, between the decorative or outer wall and the screen, or interior wall of the building. The use of a six foot strip of this space allowing for an aisle 10 feet wide will give a total of 10,000 square ft for exhibits. Chief Holmes, of the department, declares that the change will not effect the beauty of the building, and that it is his purpose to install the loggia space only such exhibits as will be in themselves attractive and in harmony with the decorative appearance of the passage.

The Illinois Central paid its half yearly dividend September 1, making the ninety-seventh continuous dividend paid by that com-

pany. It is on the basis of 4 per cent for the year. The Illinois Central is one of the few roads in the country which has never passed through the hands of a receiver and which has a record for regularity in dividend payments. The road earned about \$10,200 per mile during the year. The capital stock has been increased from \$60,000,000 in 1891, to \$95,000,000. The net fixed charges are only \$1,799,113, or \$1,150 a mile on 1,726 miles of road.

An interesting comparison of the different wage scales in effect in England, Paris, Liege and the United States has been made by the Finanz-Chronik, a German financial paper, which found that the averages during 1902 were as follows: United States \$2.50; England, \$1.35; Paris, \$1.34; Liege, 65 cents. According to the same authority, the average wages in England increased from \$1.20 in 1870 to 1.45 in 1902, while in the United States the average in 1870 was 2.20 against 2.50 in 1902.

Manager Wm. Robinson, of the Haldeman Warehouse, Louisville, has kindly placed at the disposal of the Kentucky Exhibit Association about 5,000 square feet of floor space in the basement of this building and the Association has decided to make it the depot for mineral exhibits, which are now being collected. Already ten barrels of crude oil have come from different districts in Kentucky. The first of the ores to arrive was two barrels of zinc from Owen county.

Our Mining Editor, who is now wearing a skin that feels like it had been on terms of intimacy with a mustard plaster, sadly sings:

Here's to the chigger,  
That ain't any bigger  
Than the point of a good sized pin  
But the bump that he raises  
Itches like blazes  
And there's where the rub comes in.

More attention is being paid to zinc ore production throughout the west than at any other time during past years. One new Mexican mine has shipped over 4,000 tons ore during the past few months for zinc oxide manufacturing plants and with the addition of magnetic separation will be able to increase its tonnage. Walkerville, Mont., Park City and other Utah camps promise to produce marketable zinc ore in the near future; British Columbia is to have several more zinc reduction plants, one of the latest mines to make preparation for handling zinc being the St. Eugene, one of the heaviest silver-lead producing mines in the province; from Mexico comes advices of prospective zinc shipments from at least three properties. If present conditions are maintained throughout the west, with the completion of the concentrating plants now planned or under way, the total zinc production of the United States will be greatly increased in 1904 over that of the present year. Advices from Continental zinc producing districts still continue to give unsatisfactory reports of the life of zinc mines now in operation while indication now point to even greater zinc tonnage in this country than ever before produced.

In the case of Smith vs. Jones, et al., as reported in the Pac. Rep. Utah, 1104, it was held that the surface of mineral lands, may be owned by one person and the mineral underneath by another, each with an indefensible title, and that when so owned, they constitute separate corporeal ownership, and the surface land might be partitioned the same as where is no mineral under it.

The New York market for the week ending Sept. 5th, was firm but a shade easier in tone, for pig lead, the basis being 4.10 for 50 ton lots and 4.124 in car loads. The market is strong and unchanged on spot, spot deliveries closing at 62.

#### PUBLIC WATERING PLACE

To be Opened at Crooked Creek Bridge, West of Town.

##### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

That I have been asked by a number of persons of the town of Marion, as well as teamsters who drive over the Marion and Salem road to have a watering place opened up at or near the bridge on Crooked creek about one mile west of town. In response to these inquiries I will say that the record here shows that the county owns a small piece of land, including the old creek bed and a ditch that was cut by the county for the purpose of letting the water have a straight chute under the bridge. After said ditch had been cut, notwithstanding the owners of the land had given their consent, yet they were induced to come before the fiscal court and ask for change, whereupon said court did pay twenty-five dollars for a little bend of land on Crooked creek, from the east side of said ditch to the county road, and it is on this land that a fence has been built which joins the bridge at one end and the Harvey Elder farm at the other end, thereby inclosing the county land and depriving the traveling public the free use of the pure water that flows through our possessions. And it is my purpose in this article to show that I am taking the necessary steps to have said watering place opened up for the free use of all. In the first place I have had a talk with the parties controlling the fence which cut the public off from the county's property, and they promised me that they would remove the fence at once. But should he fail to comply with this request, legal

proceedings will be taken at once and the county's property there will be opened up for the benefit of all.

Hoping that I can supply your wants in reference to this question I am, your servant as ever,

AMRON TOWERY, P. J. C. C.

#### DEEDS RECORDED.

T. B. Gillispie to C. W. Taylor, lot in Tolu, \$500.  
J. B. B. Moore to E. S. Moore, interest in land, \$251.  
D. C. Roberts to Col. E. L. Starling, lot in Reed addition, \$75.  
J. P. Pierce and others to W. D. Wallingford, two lots in Marion, \$1500.  
J. A. Baker to J. A. McCormick, 38 1-4 acres \$200.  
W. S. Woodson to T. W. Riley, 15 acres, \$50.  
D. C. Roberts to Dr. W. M. Hanna, lot in Reed's addition, \$75.  
D. C. Roberts to Wm. Addison, Smith lot in Reed's addition \$75.  
Josiah Conger to D. W. Jackson, 68 acres on Crooked creek, \$100.  
Elva Robertson to Margaret Black, 110 acres on Tradewater at \$175.  
J. B. Hubbard to Geo. H. Foster, lot in Marion \$100.  
S. A. Woodall to S. H. Cassidy & Co 15 1/4 acres for \$1200.  
W. L. Barnes to G. R. Williams, 10 acres \$455.  
Jonathan Stone to Geo. R. Williams, 27 acres \$300.

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## TRUNK RAILROAD

To be Built from Hudson Bay to Buenos Ayres.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 2.—Plans for a gigantic railroad with a trunk line connecting Hudson Bay with British Columbia, Buenos Ayres, South America, and having a network of branches, was disclosed today when articles of incorporation of the Pan-American Railroad Company, with a capital stock placed at \$250,000,000, were filed with the Secretary of the Territory.

The purpose of the corporation, it is said, is to build a line of railway, extending from Port Nelson, Hudson Bay, in a southerly direction, crossing the line of the Canadian Pacific near Winnipeg, Manitoba, through North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory, to Galveston, Texas, from Galveston through the republic of Mexico to the boundary line of Central America, through to the Isthmus of Panama, thence through the United States of Columbia, to Ecuador, and finally through the republic of Peru to Buenos Ayres, on the Atlantic ocean.

Also a branch line beginning in the republic of Peru and extending in a southeasterly direction through Brazil to Rio Janeiro; also a branch line beginning in the republic of Peru and extending in a southeasterly direction through Chili to Valparaiso, on the south Pacific ocean.

The estimated cost of the Pan-American railroad is \$250,000,000 and the estimated length is 10,000 miles.

### SNARES FOR INNOCENSE.

We are very glad to impress our brothers of the country press with the very great dangers that lie in wait for the multitude of young girls that are flocking to our cities especially St. Louis and notably at this time. The country press is a tremendous power for good, and if they would keep this matter before their readers, constantly warning all as to the open door to ruin, many might be saved who else are ruined. The gateway to St. Louis, our great Union Depot, is beset by a thousand snares for unwary feet. And young girls who come through the gates to the mid way, are at once spotted, and if it be possible the snare will be so spread in their path that they can not escape. No girl should come here unless absolutely certain as to her course. The many tempting advertisements are often mere baits for ignorance and innocence. And if she comes to the city ready to enter the first carriage whose driver proposes to take her to a good boarding house, or to accept the first situation offered where no experience is required, she may as well bid adieu to innocence and hope when she leaves her home. And as a matter of course the young man is almost equally exposed so far as moral or even physical safety is concerned. If the country papers will only keep these things before their readers they will serve God and humanity. —St. Louis Christian Advocate.

## DR. MENDENHALL'S CHILL and FEVER CURE



(This Picture on Every Bottle)

Cures Chills, Fevers, Malaria, Biliousness. Take it as a General Tonic and at all times in place of Quinine. Breaks up Coughs, Colds and LaGrippe. NO CURE, NO PAY. J. C. MENDENHALL, Sole Owner, Evansville, Indiana.

## A WHITE FAWN.

The St. Paul, Minn., correspondent of the New York Sun writes as follows:

"A beautiful white deer, a pure albino, was captured a few days ago near Chippawa Falls, Wis., by Charles Liddle. It is the only one known in the Western States. Mr. Liddle was surveying at the time when the fawn, for it was yet young, ran through the underbrush and fell at his feet exhausted. A moment later a timber wolf appeared in pursuit of the fawn. Mr. Liddle drove the wolf away with a club and took the fawn to his farm. Permission has since been received from the game warden to keep it.

Woodmen in Northern Minnesota report that during the summer they had seen at various times a white moose, and on each occasion it had been accompanied by seven other moose. The animal is young, according to reports and from the distance seen appeared to be a male. It is feared that hunting parties will try to kill this animal for the hide.

### More Riots.

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliably remedy is immediately employed. There nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the Liver or Kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective medicine for run down systems. It dispels Nervousness, Rheumatism and Neuralgia and expels malarial germs. Only 50c and satisfaction guaranteed by Woods & Co., Druggist.

### VIRGINIA DISMAL SWAMP.

The Richmond, Va., Times-Dispatch says:

Progress is an iconoclast and obliterates old landmarks without mercy. The Dismal Swamp of Virginia is one of the natural curiosities, and the Lake of the Dismal Swamp has been the subject of song. But the water from the lake has been largely drawn off for commercial purposes and now we are told that the Ohio capitalists and farmers who recently purchased twenty thousand acres of land in the heart of the swamp are rapidly cutting the timber away and draining the lands and putting them in arable condition. The dismal swamp is doomed. It will not be many years before the morass which from time immemorial has been the home of bear and deer and other wild animals, will be the home of prosperous settlers. We old fogies necessarily feel a sense of sorrow in the passing of the Dismal Swamp. But there is no sentiment in progress.

### Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved!" writes Mrs. W. Watkins, of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Phonograph had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by Woods & Co., Druggist. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.

### RICH CATCH.

Shelbyville, Ind., Sept. 2.—The Joseph family and Mrs. R. W. Davis, the merchant, drove to Brandywine to spend the day picnicking. It was necessary to cross Blue river at Warblesford. They forded the stream and when near the middle of the river the water ran over their carriage. Mrs. Davis had a small satchel containing nearly \$1,000 worth of diamonds, which, unobserved, was washed into the river. When she discovered her loss she offered a reward for its return. Many searched for the treasure without success, and yesterday Wm. Blackledge, a farmer, while fishing six miles below discovered it in a drift and brought it to the city and received the one hundred dollars reward.

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It restores the nervous system and positively prohibits tendency to depression or low spirits. Women with troubles peculiar to their sex are assured to perfect health. Your druggist will cheerfully add his testimony to ours.

TRY IT—TEST IT—Our Guarantee goes with every package.

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### A SNAKE STORY.

Our old friend Squire Harpending, sends the following from New Salem:

Two of our mining men, John Harpending and George Hurley, met with a mishap last week that scared them out of growing any more the remainder of their natural lives. They descended into a cave on the White property where Harpending is mining, for the purpose of obtaining some drinking water, a creek running at the bottom of a 10 foot hole, which had to be descended on a ladder, they went down, filled their kegs and started to make the ascent. Harpending carrying the lantern and Hurley the water. A huge snake had taken advantage of the ladder to go down and get him a drink of water, and while the men were filling their keg Mr Snake started out unknown to the men. When nearly half way up Harpending put his hand on the reptile and by the light of his lantern saw what kind of a neighbor he had; he said not a word but let all holts go and knocked Hurley, keg and all to the bottom. The men escaped without any broken bones, but to their dying day they will never forget that cave and that snake.

### Spring Ailments.

There is an aching and tired feeling, the liver, bowels and kidneys become sluggish and inactive, the digestion impaired, with little or no appetite, no ambition for anything and a feeling that the whole body and mind needs toning up. The trouble is that during the winter there has been an accumulation of waste matter in the system. Horlene will relieve it, secure to the secretions a right exit and by its tonic effect fully restore the wasted tissue and give you strength instead of weakness. 50 cents a bottle. Woods & Co.

### NOTICE.

All old soldiers and friends are requested to be at Pleasant Grove church, near Sheridan, on Saturday, Sept. 26, 1903, to decorate the grave of Comrade Abe Millikan and other comrades. Comrade Johnson will preach the funeral of Comrade Millikan. Everybody invited to attend. Be there by 10 o'clock sharp.

Floral committee: Miss Ida Lebert, Mrs. J. F. Snyder, Mrs. Jas. Millikan.

Bring well filled baskets. A J. Lebert, JAS. MILLIKAN. Done by dying request of our comrade.

### The Pleasure of Eating

Persons suffering from indigestion, dyspepsia or other stomach trouble will find that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. This remedy is a never failing cure for indigestion and dyspepsia and all complaints affecting the glands or membranes of the stomach or digestive tract. When you take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure everything you eat tastes good, and every bit of the nutriment that your food contains is assimilated and appropriated by the blood and tissues. Sold by all druggists.

In answer to a query, "How can you tell a female chicken from a male when it is newly hatched?" a farmer says: "Place a lighted lamp on the table, also some bread crumbs; if he eats it he is a male and if she eats it is a female." The same farmer said: "When you want to tell a bad egg, break it gently."

## SEASONABLE RECEIPTS.

### FOR LUNCHEON IN THE WOODS.

For a basket picnic when a day is to be spent in the park or country, nothing is dancier or more delicious than a sandwich with a filling made from cooked and uncooked fruit. Thin slices of bread spread with a paste made of ripe mashed bananas and plum jelly are fit to be offered to a king.

For those who delight to satisfy the palate with bread and cheese, a delicious sandwich is composed of rye bread and Neufchatel cheese. The latter should be moistened with cream and this should have well mixed into it a quantity of pounded pecan kernels, seasoned with pepper and salt.

When a more substantial sandwich is needed, and this is always necessary when small people are on the jaunt, the remnants of a cold boiled ham and roast veal may be used. These meats should be chopped fine and moistened with a little fresh cream, into which has been put a hard boiled egg. After this has been thoroughly seasoned it should be placed between thickly buttered bread.

### SWEET PICKLED SECKEL PEARS

Prepare a syrup of one and three quarter pounds of granulated sugar and one pound of pure cider vinegar, a dozen whole cloves, two dozen allspice, two tablespoonfuls of stick cinnamon, broken into small pieces, three blades of mace, and a two inch piece of dried ginger root. The spices in a piece of cheese cloth and boil in syrup fifteen minutes. Select perfect and uniform sized Seckel pears. Pare, but do not remove stems. Put into the syrup as many pears as will be well covered, let boil gently until the fruit looks transparent drain fruit from syrup, put into glass jars. Let syrup boil up but once and then strain over the fruit and seal.

### THE JUICE OF THE FRAGRANT GRAPE

The Department of Agriculture has called attention to unfermented grape juice, as a nourishing, as well as healthful beverage. With chopped ice and the beaten white of egg, two tablespoonfuls of the juice makes a drink to rival the worldly and more dangerous egg-nogg. A little lemon juice gives a tang to the rather sweet juice and may be used with good results.

### TO CLEAN ENAMELED SHOES

Enameled shoes can be kept in good condition by washing them in sweet milk. All dust and mud should first be removed, then the shoes should be thoroughly washed with the milk and then wiped dry with a soft cloth. This will give them a polish almost equal to new and will help them to retain their smart appearance for a long time.

### WHIPPED CREAM

Whipped cream, that will keep for several days, is worth trying. More wine, sugar and cream may be added if desired when re-whipping. Put together one pint of rich cream, sweet or sour, half a cup of milk, the juice of one lemon, four round tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, and a glass of sherry. Then whip with a broad egg beater, keeping the dish in a pan of ice. Heap up in a glass dish and serve with berries or peaches.

### ORANGE HONEY.

Mix together the juice of three oranges and the grated rind of one, a small cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful of butter and the well beaten yolks of two eggs. Cook over a slow fire, stirring constantly until about as thick as honey, serve cold. This is excellent with fritters, all kinds of warm bread, and griddle cakes.

### Kentucky News.

Lang Bros., Druggists, Paducah, Ky., write: "We sell more of Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure than all other remedies combined, having retailed over 700 bottles in one season. The physicians here prescribe it and persons who use it once will have no other." Children like it.

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We Compare Prices and Goods with anyone.

Come to See us.

Bigham & Browning.

## A Word to The Public!

As I have bought out the Furniture Store of Walker & Dodge will say that I own my dwelling and a store house, out nothing for rent, discount all bills before due pay no interest, no high clerk hire, sell for cash, cutting down all expenses possible, getting in the largest stock of furniture ever in Crittenden co. Now I propose to sell furniture at less profit than any house in Western Ky. Don't compare my goods with cheap shoddy goods, but examine for yourself. I have the largest stock of Collins and Caskets in the county. Call at the old furniture stand.

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into the innermost recesses of others' hearts, are not usually the most brilliant and gifted, but those who have sympathy, patience, self-forgetfulness, and that indefinable facility of eliciting the better nature of others. Most of us know others who have appealed to us that way. We have many friends who are more beautiful and gifted but there is not one of them whose companionship we enjoy better than that of the plain faced man or woman who never makes a witty or profound remark, but whose purity of human goodness makes us every deficiency.

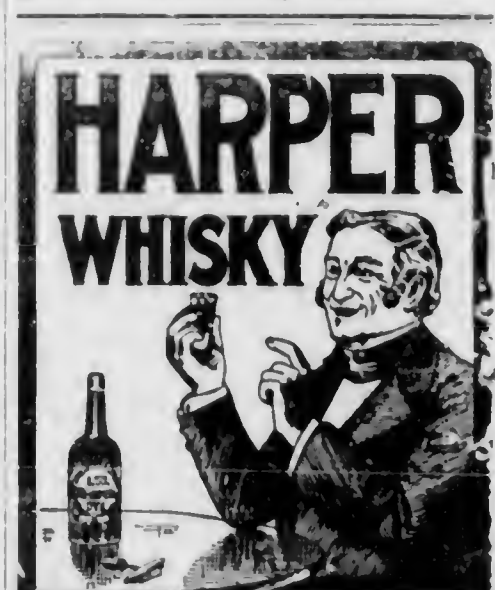
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din, Ky., has in her possession  
probably the oldest chair in Ken-  
tucky. It has been in her and her  
father's family for 140 years, and  
is in a good state of preservation  
yet. She also has a churn stick  
that has been used 41 years.—Col-  
umbia Times.

Mr. D. P. Doughtrey, well known throughout Mercer and Sumner counties, Va., most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea, was attended by two physicians who gave him little, if any relief, when a neighbor learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured him in less than twenty-four hours. For sale by Woods & Co.

Ruthven (La.) Appeal: It breaks a married man all up to step into a store and purchase a dime's worth of safety pins from his old girl who is clerking there.



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S. W. HENKINS.

RECAPITULATIONS. Not exceeding three lines, published free of charge. More than 10 lines at 5 cents per line. RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT. \$1.00.

The main streets of the city were crowded with people and the high tide was here. Our minds are kept busy and the streets are full of life and activity.

The Press, there is a new will to work and advertise. The engine which has made the Press will, such as displayed, and an electric motor and a large battery installed to put the machine in motion. It has been some time. Had Mr. Walker not attempted to do it, he would probably have bought a heavy engine for spring.

Nothing gives a stronger impression of a town or city than the appearance of its people. The people of Marion are a fine lot. They are well educated and well dressed. They are a credit to the city.

It is a pity that we have had so much trouble. How many of us have had plans to visit Marion, but have been unable to do so. We hope to visit soon.

The Marion Hotel is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

We have a fine view of the city from the Marion Hotel. The view is a fine one. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

There will be a new building in Marion. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

The State of Marion is a fine one. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

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### September a Month of Pleasure.

September is a month of pleasure. It is a month of pleasure. It is a month of pleasure. It is a month of pleasure.

### New Firm at the Bowling Alley.

A new firm has been established at the Bowling Alley. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### FIRE NEAR KELSEY

A fire broke out near Kelsey. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### POLICE COURT ITEMS

Charles M. S. was taken to the police court. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### HON LEWIS McQUOWN

Hon. Lewis McQuown is a fine man. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### ATHLETIC CLUB MEETS

The Athletic Club met. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### TO OPEN CAMPAIGN AT SALEM

A campaign was opened at Salem. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### TO MY FRIENDS

A letter was written to my friends. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### FIELDING BRANTLEY DEAD

Fielding Brantley is dead. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### MONUMENT UNVEILED

A monument was unveiled. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### FINE FARM FOR SALE

A fine farm is for sale. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city. It is a fine building. It is a credit to the city.

### A BOWLING PARTY

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 School Clothing for the Children, School Shoes for all.  
**WE CAN SUIT YOU---TRADE WITH US AND SAVE MONEY!**

U. S. News

Monday, Sept. 14, 1903

You are cordially invited to call.

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## CAVE-IN-ROCK, ILL.

Misses Annie Wynn, Mabel P. and Will Wynn and Ernest Paris have returned from an extended visit to relatives near Kearsburg Ridge.

Most of the schools of this county commenced on the 7th, and most continued at least six months.

Ernest Paris will teach school two miles north of Cave-in-Rock.

Cave-in-Rock shows a large percentage of her trade from Crittenden county and is intensely interested in her neighbors across the river. This is one of the best fishing spots on the river between Evansville and Paducah. Almost every body have money and pay their bills.

The spot where four miles north of here has been closed down from some cause. The company left several of the employees in the camp.

No railroad news yet.

Cave-in-Rock can boast of one of the pluckiest little papers in Southern Illinois. Whatever else may have been said of the editor, nobody has ever accused him of being afraid to speak out.

Crittenden county and Hardin county are so close together that they should be better acquainted than the citizens of one would not be afraid to stay all night within the borders of the other. There are plenty of people in each county who would not feel safe on the soil of the other. This is all wrong. While it is true that there are some differences in the manners and customs of the people on the opposite sides of the Ohio, the people of each section could be improved and enlightened by a better and more constant acquaintance with those of the other, and in Hardin county, as to the whole state of Kentucky, a few bad men have given for all her bad name. Fortunately for Hardin, however, her lawless element is fast disappearing and law and order prevails everywhere within her.

## Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those who are little workers. Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. They are pleasant and safe. Only 50c at Woods & Co.

## HUGHEY, LYON COUNTY.

Crops are looking very well considering the dry weather.

Bob Beck was the first to cut tobacco out here.

Several fine calves have recently died here with the black leg.

Meeting here every first and third Sunday, with Bro. Miller as pastor.

Rev. Crockett of Missouri is visiting friends here.

Bob Frank passed through here last week in search of a stolen horse, which was taken from Mr. Frank at Hurricane camp ground.

W. J. Woodhill is the principal merchant and postmaster here.

Several of the people from our town attended court at Eddyville last week.

Stacy Snook and family are the guests of Capt. W. I. Stone.

Bob Dorroh and wife attended the Association at Pineknayville.

Mrs. Albert Garner is very low with fever.

Mr. Elliot Brasher has just recovered from an attack of fever.

Doc Brasher and family of near the iron ore banks, have moved on Walter Young's place.

Protracted meeting began at Glenn's Chapel last Sunday.

Our school progresses finely under care of Mr. Grissom.

## SMOKE

**P. & S. FLYER CIGAR**

5c.

## EDDYVILLE, LYON COUNTY.

Circuit court has just closed; it did quite a big business. Sent one negro to the pen for two years. Also quite a number of suits were decided.

J. R. Brinson of near Morganfield, will move here soon, he has been employed principal of our graded school. Miss Helen Grosvenor of this place, and Miss Jessie Wilson of Morgan, will be the assistants, and Miss Sarah Johnson will be the music teacher.

A convict escaped from the prison Saturday night, but was caught about 11 o'clock that night and driven by town marshal, Charles Branswell.

The editor of the Tale of Two Cities is visiting friends in Marshall county.

His Life Saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

B. J. Evers, a well known cooper of this town, says he believes Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy saved his life last summer. He had been sick for a month with what the doctors call typhoid fever and could get nothing to do him any good until he tried the remedy. It gave him immediate relief. Says B. J. Evers, merchant, Hancock, Md. For sale by Woods & Co.

## CRAYNEVILLE.

The crops are drying and the present outlook is most unfavorable.

The following are on the sick list: Mrs. Ward, Will James, Little Willie Ordway and Roy Cook.

Marion Belmont's mother is visiting them for a few days.

A crowd of young people attended the ice cream supper at Mr. Russell Crayne's last Saturday night and had a delightful time.

They are having a line meeting at Crayneville, a large crowd on Sunday and a good meeting.

Miss Lou Hillyard is spending a week with Mrs. Henry Paris and Miss Ada Deboe, and Tom Stovall says he was so glad.

H. P. Jacobs attended the Hurricane meeting Sunday.

Vernon Hill and Miss Stella Jacobs went over to Metropolis and to our surprise got married. Mr. Hill is the son of Mrs. Sarah Hill, a very promising, industrious young man. The bride is the daughter of S. P. Jacobs and is a nice, beautiful, intelligent young lady. We congratulate you both on doing so well, and wish you a prosperous and happy life.

Henry Young of Evansville was here last week.

## Genuine vs Counterfeits

The genuine is always better than a counterfeit, but the truth of this statement is never more forcibly realized or more keenly appreciated than when you compare the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve with the many counterfeits and worthless substitutes that are on the market. W. S. Ledbetter, of Shreveport, La., says: "After using numerous other remedies without benefit, one box DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me." For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles no remedy is equal to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by all druggists.

## MEXICO.

The meeting at Sulphur Spring church continues with much interest; 11 conversions and several anxious seekers the Lord, with a large attendance, are some of the favorable indications of a grand and glorious meeting. Bro. M. E. Miller of Fredonia is doing the preaching, and is doing it well too.

Courling Harris will complete a 100 foot shaft on the Myers farm for the Hopkinsville mining company; he is getting out good specimens of zinc and lead.

Late corn and tobacco are needing rain very bad in this neighborhood.

Mrs. George Green has the typhoid fever.

J. J. McGee and family visited his relatives in Union county last week.

Our fall school begins Monday, with Mr. Wickers as teacher.

We have no loafers in Mexico.

## DR. FENNER'S KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs. Also Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner, he has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations free.

A gravel lodged in my bladder. After using a few bottles of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure I passed a gravel ball as large as a marble. The medicine prevented further formations. I was cured. W. T. OAKES, Orrville, Va.

Druggists 50c. Ask for Book Free.

ST. VITUS' DANCE. Pure Cure, Circular, Dr. Fenner, Fredonia N.Y.

Everybody is busy mowing and hauling spar.

Carroll Hodge, of Salem, visited his son, P. R. Hodge last week.

Tom Dreunin is all smiles, it's a gala at his house.

Bill Moore of Crider visited his sister, Mrs. Wilson last week.

## Accept No Substitute.

There is nothing just as good for Malaria, Chills and Fever as Dr. Mendenhall's Chills and Fever Cure. Take it as a general tonic and at all times in place of quinine. It fails to give satisfaction and the front of the cartoon to J. C. Mendenhall, Evansville, Ind., and get your money back.

## LEVIAS.

Mrs. Jane Settles and Susan LaRue are visiting friends and relatives about Deer Creek.

Mrs. M. E. Brunes has returned to her home in Salem, after several weeks stay with her daughter here.

The Keystone Mining company have struck it "rich" at last on the Carter place. It appears to be a fifteen foot vein of spar at a depth of twenty-five feet. They have persevered under rather discouraging prospects and they are to be congratulated now upon their find.

G. W. Eaton is painting his store room and putting in fixtures for selling goods in East Levias.

Old mules are selling here from \$20 to \$35 a piece. Watermelons 5c and 15c.

You Know What You are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

## OAK GROVE.

N. W. Jones and family returned home after a weeks visit to relatives in this neighborhood.

Messrs. B. A. Ench and N. W. Jones went to see Mrs. Nannie Rodges of Iron Hill, last Sunday, who has been ill for some time.

How about our roads? Are we going to see our magistrates and solicit them to have them worked by taxation, or will we go on in the same old rut and pay almost enough to have them worked good and have no roads either? We are very much in favor of a road tax, because under the present system we go ahead and work from eight to twelve days each year and spend from \$1,000 to \$7,000, and quite a bit of this time you can hardly haul an empty wagon, so let us have a better system.

There will not be a very large wheat crop sowed here this fall.

Born to the wife of Will Mayes a few days ago, a 3 pound boy.

We haven't any school teacher yet. Teachers seem to be scarce.

Good corn, hay and tobacco crop in this neighborhood.

## Investments in Southern Lands.

Such investments are not speculative. The South is not a new country. Market and shipping facilities are adequate and first class. The climate is mild and favorable. Notwithstanding these and other advantages, southern lands are selling for prices far below their real value, and at present prices net large returns on the investment. For a free set of circulars, Nos. 1 to 10, inclusive, concerning the possibilities of lands in Kentucky, West Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana, on and near the Illinois Central Railroad, for homeseekers and investors, address the undersigned.

F. R. WHEELER, 120 Main St., Evansville, Ind.

## With the Poets and Inventors.

More and more mankind will discover that we have to turn to poetry to interpret life for us, to console us, to sustain us. Without poetry, our science will appear incomplete; and most of what now passes with us for religion and philosophy will be replaced by poetry. For finely and truly does Wordsworth call poetry "the impassioned expression which is in the countenance of all science"; and what is a countenance without its expression? Again, Wordsworth finely and truly calls poetry "the breath and finer spirit of all knowledge."

Matthew Arnold

## MY MOTHER WHEN A GIRL

'Twas in a little pocket that long years had been forgot,

A bunch of old time letters had away, Tied with a bit of ribbon in a neat true lover's knot—

I found it while my children were at play.

A relic old, and faded, but more precious far, than gold,

Or Indian monarch's boasted wealth of pearl,

And my tears fell fast upon it.

'Twas a portrait worn and old

A picture of my mother when a girl.

'Twas such a dainty maiden who looked out with smiling face,

A maiden in a queer, old-fashioned gown,

Her hands so primly folded with a quaint and stately grace,

Her laughing eyes demurely glancing down.

'Twas such a stately maiden of an age long dead and gone,

Whose face peeped out from frame of hair curl.

And as I sat there dreaming fast my tear-drops fell upon

The picture of my mother when a girl.

'Twas but the briefest moment e'er I was a boy again,

And youthful days came trooping back to me.

I saw the old home standing just as in the old days when

I heard my boyish prayers at mother's knee.

I felt her kisses clinging unto mine in sweet caress—

Ah, naught the happy past can e'er unfurl

Take this dim, faded likeness of a maid in somber dress

The picture of my mother when a girl.

In place of chiefest honor hangs this portrait old and worn,

A sacred shrine where I can find my life home adorn

With a picture that could longer hold my gaze.

The home is in some hidden and the morning brighter dawn

Since looking out from frame of hair curl.

A face so sweet and saintly meets me when I gaze upon

The picture of my mother when a girl. EX

## SPENDING STORIES.

Messrs. L. Freeman Little and Nat Alsop arrived in the city from Washington Saturday. For the past two months they have been in the East and Canada in the interest of a flour refining machine, which Mr. Alsop has patented.

It is tacitly understood that the gentlemen disposed of the United States rights on the patent for \$15,000 and the Canadian rights for \$20,000. Mr. Little said they had met with even greater success than ever anticipated. The machine will be taken into every wheat growing country in the world.

Messrs. Little and Alsop have had the machine with them. It weighs eighteen hundred pounds and was constructed in the laboratory of Mr. Alsop on his farm. Flour is treated by an electrical process which changes it from a second and third grade to a first grade. The machine is pronounced by millers to be one of the greatest inventions ever made for the treatment of flour. Owensboro Messenger.

## VIEW.

J. B. Binkley has been on the sick list.

Clud Binkley, a little son of J. B. Binkley, had the misfortune to fall from a fence, last week, and broke his arm.

Having complied with their contract the R. M. Mining Co. closed their works last Saturday. Possibly this is for the balance of the year.

Mrs. Ada Childress is very low with pulmonary trouble.

Mrs. A. H. Cardin has returned from Cerulean Springs after an extended visit.

Jeff Spencer, of Louisville, is the guest of his grandfather, F. M. Clement.

# Marion Graded School

Begins its Tenth Annual Session

**Monday, Sept 14, 1903**



Same Management for Ten Years.

The Educational Center of Crittenden and Adjoining Counties.

Leads State in Common School graduation.

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For further particulars write to or call on

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On Tuesday the 31 day of November, 1903, there will be a state election at which a Governor of Ohio will be voted for. To stimulate interest in this election, the Cincinnati Daily Enquirer has set aside \$10,000. This will be distributed, according to the schedule annexed, among the subscribers on and after this date until the close of the contest, who estimate nearest the vote which will be cast for the office of Governor of Ohio. The number of the total votes cast for the office of Governor will be determined as final and conclusive by the official certificate of the Secretary of State.

THE PRIZES TO BE DISTRIBUTED ARE AS FOLLOWS:

To the one making the nearest correct estimate of the exact total of the vote for the office of Governor of Ohio	\$5,000.00
To the Second Nearest	2,500.00
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To the Fourth Nearest	500.00
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To the Eleventh Nearest	50.00
To the Twelfth Nearest	25.00
To the Thirteenth Nearest	15.00
To the Fourteenth Nearest	10.00

In all fourteen premiums amounting to \$10,000.00

If there is a tie in the estimate of two or more persons for any one of the prizes, the amount thereof will be equally divided.

## THE VOTE OF OTHER YEARS.

1883	318,168	1891	308,491	1897	854,086
1885	331,210	1893	323,658	1899	908,159
1887	344,150	1895	337,469	1901	827,606
1889	375,526				

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**When A Woman Feels Depressed**

has frequent headaches, a bad case of nerves, lack of appetite, inability to sleep, a morbid, all-gone feeling. It is not necessarily some dire female malady;

**It's the Liver.**

Don't fail to get to-day at your druggists a bottle of

**HERBINE**

It will quickly and surely restore the Liver, Kidneys and digestive organs to their normal functions. You'll feel like a new woman after taking the first bottle

50 Cents. ALL DRUGGISTS.

## REPTON.

James Deury and wife are visiting relatives here.

Hubert Burton has returned home from Missouri.

Wilcox brothers have opened a new repair shop at Mattoon.

Tom King is still hunting for mineral, and the faithful should be rewarded.

Lint Sullivan has found valuable mineral.

Warts on her fingers, corns on her toes she will be miserable wherever she goes, unless she uses Dr. Mendenhall's Corn Cure. 15 cents at druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price by J. C. Mendenhall, Evansville, Ind.

## PRIVATE SALE

Of fine Hereford stock. I have for sale at my farm four miles east of Salem, on the Fredonia road, 2 full blooded Hereford cows, with young calves, 1 Hereford bull, 2 years old; also 7 head young horses and mules; also 24 head of cattle of various weights, from 400 to 1,000 lbs. each, all in good condition, mowers, corn and wheat drills, plows, etc.

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**PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM**

Promotes and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. Sold everywhere.

Our shoe stock is complete in every line. Call and see them. Taylor & Cannon.



# Local News.

Gossipy Letters From all Sections of the County.

## FRANCES.

Some tobacco is being cut. Stock water has not been so scarce here for years. Late corn will be a failure if rain does not arrive this week.

Over one hundred loads of spar per day are being delivered at Mexico from this section.

The Frances Mining Co. is putting down a shaft on Uncle John Mathew's place. They are also pushing the work on the Simpson property, with good prospects at both places.

Frances graded school is coming to the front rapidly. Daily average 60; M. F. Pogue, principal; Miss Nora Whitt, assistant. They have installed the new adoption of text books, and are pleased with the results.

Miss Maud Davis, of Paducah, will return home tomorrow after a long visit with relatives here.

Mrs. W. N. Franklin and little son, Tommy, of Morganfield, visited the family of G. W. Parish last week.

Miss Lila Koon will enter the school at Marion next week.

J. H. Parrish has returned to work with a Boston firm after a vacation with his parents.

John Matthews and wife and J. C. Matthes are visiting in Christian county this week.

David Ralston has moved back to his farm near here from Cinder, Ky.

Mr. Tom Jones and wife from Crayonsville, spent Sunday with S. H. Matthews family here.

Mrs. G. W. Parrish has been quite ill, but is improving.

Messrs. Cooper and Crider, of the Marion Mineral company, were looking after their property here this week.

W. W. Pogue, Jr. is building a new store room.

Miss Bishop, of Kansas, is visiting the family of J. A. Yandell.

Ben Fox, of Cincinnati, is enjoying a long vacation with his Uncle, C. W. Fox.

George Crit Kirk, of View, paid his old friend, Joe Binkley, a call last week.

The latest arrival is a democrat at the home of Newt Pulley.

## LEVIAS.

Mrs. L. L. Price and Miss Ose Gilles are under the care of a doctor. They are convalescing.

St. Franklin has moved to Milford to engage in the mercantile business. Elder G. S. Summers has moved into the place vacated by St.

Our school opened Monday with Miss Mary Moore to wield the rod and teach the young idea how to shoot.

Quite a number from here attended the Ed Farmer funeral Sunday. Elder J. S. Henry conducted the services at his home.

Miss Ida and Blanche Bebout, of Sheridan, attended church at Union Sunday.

The pastor being absent R. A. LaRue preached at Union Sunday. He has just returned home from holding a successful meeting with Sulphur Spring church.

The Hopkinsville Co. prospecting on the E. B. Franklin place were here Friday and liked the prospect well enough to double the force of hands and ordered the work pushed with all possible haste.

## VIEW.

G. P. Watson and family, of Paducah, left this section for home this week after a prolonged visit to relatives and friends.

Three of the Bass children are ill this week.

Lambert Kirk and family are indisposed this week.

J. C. Matthes of this section, is imbibing the salubrious waters of Cerulean Springs this week.

J. E. Binkley witnessed the unveiling of the W. O. W. monument at Marion last Sunday.

W. B. Binkle has recently completed a fine tobacco barn.

Farmers of this section are cutting tobacco this week, the dry weather causing it to fire up.

The many friends of Miss Ada Childress, who has been quite ill for some weeks past, are hoping for her rapid and complete recovery. Miss Ada is one of the most popular and charming young ladies of this section.

Ed. Peek is moving his saw mill to Mrs. F. E. Hodge's place. He figures sawing at this set about 175,000 feet of lumber.

## DYCUSBURG.

A rainless sky for several moons. H. C. Rice and family, of Kelsey, were in town Sunday.

M. B. Charles was in Louisville last week.

J. H. Clifton left Monday for Buffalo, N. Y., where he will again be treated for neuralgia. He was accompanied to Princeton by his son, Lewis of Marion. From there he was accompanied by his youngest son, Will, also of Marion. His family and friends hope he will be permanently benefited.

S. H. Cassidy and wife visited Kuttaws Sunday.

School opened Monday with prospects auspicious.

Robt. Wells opened school at Boaz school house Monday.

Miss Mamie Graves left for St. Vincent Tuesday.

The new city hall was dedicated with a dance Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McReynolds are entertaining their sister, Mrs. P. B. Mont and children, of Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Bertie Glenn and sister, Miss Minnie Cassidy, of Paducah, are guests of Dr. J. M. Graves and family.

The Kentucky Iron and Furnace Co., represented here by Messrs. Mitchell and Deavers, are developing the iron ore on the Graves and Howard land, one mile north of town on Cumberland river. Several barges of mining machinery have been towed down to the mines. In a few days there will be a demand for about seventy-five workmen. A mining camp will be erected on the site and soon these surrounding wooded heights will reverberate the echo of blasts that are to unlock the secret of ages. The outlook is said to be propitious.

Messrs. J. C. Griffin and Henry Wells have purchased from Yancy Bros. their stock of general merchandise. Indications are the new firm will be successful and popular.

Tom Wilson, of Smithland, was in this vicinity last week buying mules.

Messrs. G. M. and S. L. Yancey are having the Yancey home in north Dycusburg improved by erecting a new addition and otherwise beautifying the old family home.

Fred Ramage carried two wagon-loads of hogs to Kelsey last week for shipment.

Tom Butler, of Kelsey, was the guest of J. A. Graves Friday.

G. W. Jones and W. E. Charles are making valuable additions to their homes.

Miss Mollie Jones and James Clarke were in the New Bethel neighborhood Sunday.

J. C. Griffin and Silas Manns have purchased, for \$300, the blacksmith shop owned by J. H. Clifton.

Mrs. Sus Ramage will visit Metropolis this week.

Tom Mitchell is in Paducah.

T. F. Newcom and family, of Marion, were in Dycusburg Sunday.

J. C. Griffin has purchased the Dycusburg livery stables.

## RODNEY.

There was a nice social at Will Taylor's last Thursday night.

Hull Newcomb, who has mines leased near here, has been notified by a syndicate which purchased the property a short time ago, to cease operations. Meanwhile the matter is taken to court, and Newcomb will, in all probabilities, continue in control of the mines until the end of the year.

Rev. Rowland was here Saturday. He has just closed a highly successful meeting at Shady Grove, there being more than fifty professions. He commenced another meeting at Mt. Zion Sunday.

Willie Hatley went to Sturgis Saturday.

No school is yet in progress at Heath's. There will probably be no teacher for there until January, when Miss Ida Duval, who will have closed her school near Mattoon, will give them the benefit of her services.

There appears to be some difficulty concerning the teaching of the Rodney school. It has not commenced yet. We hope that the question may be amicably adjusted.

There was a very pleasant ice cream supper at Ira Robinson's Friday night.

Mrs. Eva Thompson, of Union county, visited in this community last week.

## FREDONIA AND KELSEY.

Misses Mary and Louis Green and Marie Ramage of Marion are visiting here.

Press Ordway, of Kuttaws, was here last Thursday.

All our shoes are in Sam Howerton.

Sam Ramage was doing tinker work in this place last week.

Anything you can ask for in fall and winter dress goods now in Sam Howerton.

Sam Dobson has about completed the repairs on his dwelling house.

Water is getting scarce in this community.

Reginald Rice left Friday for Lexington college.

We don't charge as much as the fellows in larger towns.

Sam Howerton.

Russell Johnson has sold his interest in the Johnson Bros. restaurant to George Price.

Cad Green has gone on a prospecting trip to Colorado; he may move there this fall.

Don't forget us when in need of groceries, dry goods or hardware, for our prices are all right.

S. C. Bennett & Son.

W. C. Glenn is visiting his daughters at Cleveland, Ohio, and Detroit, Mich., and will be absent several weeks.

Misses Isabell Howerton, Ruby Rice and Georgie Butler have gone to St. Vincent.

Mrs. Georgie Reed returned home Sunday from a visit to relatives at Princeton.

We buy goods for cash, don't ask any favors, and don't pay as much as "bigger people" in "bigger towns"; same old prices on all lines of everything new for the people to wear.

Sam Howerton.

Rev. Miller filled his appointment at New Bethel Sunday.

## PINCKNEYVILLE.

John S. Clark and Miss Della Neal are on the sick list.

H. Hudnall and wife are visiting their daughter, Lilly Thompson, near Smithland.

Jo B. Champion, wife and Lulu Hurley are visiting relatives in Paducah.

Nannie Clark and Bess McGinnis visited Dr. Miller and wife at Tiline last week.

Miss Elsie Parsons has opened the school at Oak Ridge.

Dr. Wallace Martin will teach the Dycusburg school.

P. A. Clark and S. J. Lear are building a beautiful residence for Mrs. Amanda Bennett, near Salem.

O. E. Lear is making sorghum for Mrs. J. P. Person.

The steamer J. B. Richardson is in possession of two mascots, a goat and a dog. The goat is quite a circus performer, while the dog serves as a watchman on the upper deck, preventing all the rascals from invading that part of the vessel. The animals are the property of Capt. Jim Howard, Jr., of the steamer Joe Fowler. Capt. Howard loves his pets and they are general favorites among the passengers on the boats.

## MEXICO.

The protracted meeting closed last Thursday with 30 professions and 25 additions.

Rev. Lishy Thomas and mother, of Sulphur Springs, visited relatives at this place recently.

D. W. Hodge and his sister, Nellie, visited their brother, P. K. Hodge Saturday and Sunday.

We all enjoyed a good prayer meeting at Andrew Davenport's Saturday night.

A good rain would be enjoyed better than anything else at this time, as water is getting scarce, both for man and beast.

J. H. Price and family of Levias visited the family of P. N. Hodge Sunday.

F. E. Tyner is hauling lumber to this place for shipment. He says he has 65,000 feet to ship from this place.

The Commercial Mining company are working at the Tabb mines again. This company have got an excellent shaft at this town.

There was 16 cars loaded with spar shipped from this place during the month of August.

Dave Boaz of Fredonia was down at this place looking after his interest Sunday.

## STARR.

Dry and dusty. J. A. McCormick is building a new residence.

J. B. McNasty will commence school at Starr Sept. 14th.

Prospecting in the mining business continues.

Starr school commenced with a good attendance.

Dr. Cook, of Crayonsville, is riding night and day.

The Hurricane camp meeting folks have all returned home.

Miss Birdie Fort is teaching at Belmont.

MARKED Thursday, during Hurricane camp meeting, Mr. Vernon Hill of Starr and Miss Stella Jacobs of Crayonsville, stampeded, cut from the camp ground, crossed over into Illinois and had the nuptial knot tied that made them man and wife. The wedding was kept a secret even from their nearest friends for several days. But Vernon finally produced their marriage certificate to the bride's father. Then congratulations were in order, and we want to wish the happy young couple a prosperous voyage through life.

Mrs. Emaline Hill of Marion, is making her home with Mrs. Andrews.

Jim McCormick is handling building material for Doc McCormick.

Saturday and Sunday is Bro. Vaughn's regular preaching days at Piney creek church.

Our miners think they are going to make a rich find on Prince Pickens farm.

## OAK HALL.

Our school opened the last Monday in August with a large attendance.

A number of our farmers are busy cutting their peas. What a bonanza is the cowpeas to the Southern farmer.

A Dean sold two nice south-down lambs to Tom Douglass of Illinois recently.

Charlie Robinson returned from Illinois last week.

J. R. Marvel has completed an up-to-date tobacco barn.

Mrs. J. E. Dean continues improving in health.

Miss Emma Terry is also rapidly improving.

A Dean was visiting relatives in Caldwell county recently.

## FLATROCK.

Some of the numerous PRESS readers may have heard of FLATROCK.

It was here that Bro. Blackburn first began preaching, and he still preaches here occasionally.

Ask E. Bell Rowland and his good wife if they have been here. You may please tell them and the balance of inquiring friends that we are not only dry, but very dry, and getting dryer.

Speaking of Rev. Blackburn it was here that he and uncle Seth Wigginton, of saintly memory, used to carry on protracted meetings for two or three weeks at a time.

Our school opened Monday with Luther Spikard teacher.

Eag Moore held quarterly court Monday; there was a full docket.

## LOLA.

The farmers have stopped plowing for wheat, as the ground is so dry and hard they can not plow.

There is a great deal of sickness in this vicinity; the doctors are very busy.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson has been down with a slow fever for several days but is now better and able to be up.

The merchants here are all doing a good business.

P. H. Bush, our esteemed sheriff has been in town this week fixing the boys for court.

U. B. Trimble and wife have gone to Missouri on a visit to their relatives.

Ed Slaydon has got back from St. Louis, where he has been for several months.

Old uncle Billie Bradshaw has returned from Dawson, where he had gone for his health.

Mrs. Addie Riddle and daughter are visiting relatives and friends near Hampton.

Messdames Nora Gardner and Vine Bryant, of Carville, are visiting in this place.

A little daughter of Press Williams and wife died this week.

We will say in sympathy to the bereaved father and mother, weep not for her for she is at rest. God gave, he took, he will restore; He doeth all things well.

## CHAPEL HILL.

Tobacco in this beat is firing up very badly, and we predict it will have to go into the house. However we will make pretty fair tobacco, it is looking very well considering the drought, some crops are standing the drought better than others; some on low lands is not hurting much yet but the majority is damaging.

Our cemetery has had another clean off and begins to look as though the people of Chapel Hill intended having a nice place to bury their dead.

We are having a dry and dusty time, which is damaging tobacco very much, the early planting is firing up but was matured mostly before the drought set in and therefore we will make some corn in our current.

Our school is moving right on, in good shape, with a good attendance, after that tobacco is housed the pupils will all be in attendance and Bro. Stevens will have his hands full.

Frank Lloyd and wife of Caldwell county, were at the district convention.

Misses Alice Browning and Betty Bigham of Marion were at the convention.

J. C. Minner and wife, of this place, was the guest of her father, Wm. Clark of Oak Grove Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Blue, of near Princeton, attended the district convention at Chapel Hill Saturday.

I want to sell a Jumbo smoking mule colt a good one, steel gray.

W. H. Bigham.

Charlie Clement and family will attend a family reunion at Silas McMurtry's at Repton Sept. 7.

We are glad to note that Uncle Jeff Yandell is out again and says he is feeling very well, he is troubled with rheumatism.

The district convention, which was held at Chapel Hill Saturday, was well patronized and a nice crowd was in attendance. Messrs. Pierce and Flynn of Marion made good talks. Messrs. Jacobs and Joiner also made good talks on Sabbath Schools.

## IRON HILL.

The district convention met at Sugar Grove the 11th, and was well attended.

Miss Linnie Nunn is visiting friends and relatives in this community.

Oliver Branch school is progressing very nicely, Miss Edna Roberts teacher.

Maud Travis is visiting Edith Parish.

Elise Debow visited Twinkle Hill Sunday.

Health is very good in this community at present.

Mrs. Annie Lemon of this place is in very bad health.

There has been no wheat ground broke in this section on account of dry weather.

Dempsey Kemp will leave for Tunica the 11th.

## SHERIDAN.

The mining interest is still at full heat. Several mines are operating with splendid results.

The old Holly mines' whistle is heard three times a day. The Barrett, Nov. Cartwright Co.'s mines have closed down for a short space of time.

Bob Yates, while digging a cistern on his farm at Sheridan, struck some mineral that has puzzled the mineralogists at our town, and while we believe that we have men here who know all about minerals, they will have to call in consultants, but this mineral all believe is very valuable. All that are interested in mineral would possibly be benefitted by calling and seeing Bob's prospect.

The members of the sick list are as follows: Miss Ada Terry, Mrs. Moon, Mrs. Jno. E. Thomas, and Dr. Gardner's baby has been quite ill, but is better at present.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Cline, last Friday evening, a fine boy.

There will be another addition to Sheridan next week. Bob Gibbs will erect a building plant on the Hayward farm, one mile east of Sheridan. He has already brought in three hides he secured last Saturday.

## TILINE.

We had preaching here Sunday. Bro. Duncan delivered an excellent sermon.

Our school began Monday; Miss Lulu Wheeler, teacher. We wish Miss Lulu a grand success.

Tiline and Sugar Creek base ball teams had another warm game. Score 9 to 23 in favor of Tiline.

## CAVE-IN-ROCK.

The river is so low that it is too heavy to move on a barge, cannot ply its waters. If it wants to commit suicide in choosing other means than the river, the mails are very irregular, sometimes it is several days before a boat arrives.

Circuit court begins next Monday and nearly everybody has announced. The most important case on the docket is that of C. Moore charged with the murder of Chas. Waters last winter. Moore's incarceration for a crime it has been hinted at was the guilty party in a murder case for which a young man was tried several years ago.

Ray Hardy, the M. E. pastor, is holding a series of meetings this week.

A large drive of western horses are being sold here today (Saturday).

We noticed several parties from Crittenden to attend a horse sale.

F. S. Brantley, a Carpenter county native, and F. M. Day, who is also a Kentuckian, had altercation a few weeks ago, came near being serious for one of them. Mr. Brantley was covered and Mr. Devers is now reported out of danger. Brantley, usually quiet citizens and the fair is to be regretted.

## GLADSTONE.

J. B. McKinley is having a grist mill repaired.

Olla Crider and Ben King are hauling coal this week.

Tom Morgan and family attended the street fair at Sturgis last week.

Frank Brantley will soon move to Union county.

Tom Harmon is working two men at this place on the I. C.

Buck Hellington and family from Morganfield, are visiting Gladstone this week.

Mrs. Ole Walker was in shopping Saturday.

We have a good school with four assistant teachers.

## HUGHEY.

Tobacco cutting has commenced in this neighborhood, the weather causes the earlier cutting.

Mr. Jones, of Ill. is the guest of Capt. Stone.

Preaching at New Bethel first and third Sunday.

Meeting closed at Glenn's chapel Tuesday night, they had a successful meeting.

Mr. Milne and Newt B. are at this place, attended church at Sulphur Spring Sunday.

Protracted meeting begins at Fairview church Sunday.

Mrs. Oliver was through last week collecting school tax.

## TOLU.

Misses Mattie McFarlan, Rena Hodge went to Elizabethtown, Ill. Friday.

R. L. Easley and family turned to their home in Landale county Tenn., Friday.

Some of the patrons of school are having a little trouble procuring school books, since the adoption of the new text the change not being made known in time for our merchants to get them. H. K. Wood's advertisement of Aug. 27th being the notice had of a change.

B. T. Gannan moved his family from this place to Cave-in-Rock, Ill. last week.

J. M. Gness has bought Forest Harris property and moved into it in the near future.

Dr. Jesse Moore and wife are at Caldwell county attending bedside of a brother of the doctor's.

Uncle Jim Mott, who has been in the Eddyville prison for murder of his son-in-law, L. Mott, is out on parole and is visiting his many old-time friends around Tolu.

F. E. Hoover and family visited in the county Sunday.

Will James is on the sick list. Bascom Phillips has typhoid fever.

## BELLS MINES.

Will Hazel's horse got lost while he was in Marion, on 28th, and has not since been heard from.

Mose Green's child is very sick.

T. J. Black, wife and daughter attended church at Green's Chapel, Sunday.

What is known as the new slate at Bells Mines has been cleared of water and is now ready for mining coal. A new hoiler has been put in the last few days.